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U.S. APPLICATION NO. (If known, see 37 CFR 1.5

INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/JP2004/009841

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TITLE OF INVENTION FUNCTIONAL STARCH POWDER

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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- 1.

 This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 3. A This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.
- 4.

 The US has been elected (Article 31).
- 5. A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))
 - a. \square is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. As been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- 6.

 ☐ An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
 - a. 🛛 is attached hereto.
 - b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a.

 are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
 - b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.
 - c. | have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d.

 have not been made and will not be made.
- 8.
 An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19:(35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3)).
- 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- 10. ☑ An English language translation of the annexes of the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

- 11. \boxtimes An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.
- 12 \times An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
- 13. A preliminary amendment.
- 14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.
- 15. A substitute specification.
- 16. ☐ A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.
- 17. A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter. 2 and 37 CFR 1.821 1.825.
- 18. A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C: 154(d)(4).
- 19. A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
- 20. Other items or information: Japanese language PCT-EASY transmittal for International Application PCT/JP2004/009841; Cover page of International Publication No. WO 2005/005484; & Form PCT/IB/304; Translation of International Preliminary Examination Report

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